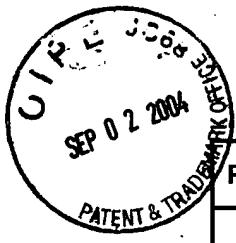


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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32739 M 008

In re Application of Kensuke FUJIWARA

Application Number 09/280,518 Filed April 5, 1999

For : Laser Intensity Adjusting Method

Group Art Unit 2861 Examiner Hai Chi PHAM

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ _____
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half. The resulting fee is:

A check in the amount \$750 is enclosed (\$420 for a two-month extension fee and \$330 Notice of Appeal fee).

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-4300.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

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